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IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please replace the current abstract with the following new abstract:

A gas feed device for detecting trouble in a gas pressure sensor fitted to the gas feed device. The presence of trouble in pressure sensors ~~52 to 58~~ is determined according to whether or not gas pressure values detected by the pressure sensors ~~52 to 58~~ fitted to branch pipes ~~32 to 38~~ is within an allowable range when stop valves ~~42 to 48~~ fitted to the branch pipes ~~32 to 38~~ connected to the access ports of hydrogen absorbing alloy tanks ~~22 to 28~~ are fully opened from their fully closed state. When the gas feed device ~~[[20]]~~ is mounted on a vehicle, no special operation is required for trouble detection because the trouble in the pressure sensors ~~52 to 58~~ can be detected by fully opening the fully closed stop valves ~~42 to 48~~ when the vehicle is started. ~~And~~ and normally the trouble can be judged by the mounted equipment.